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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371				U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">10/501612</div>	
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">PCT/FR03/00109</div>		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">01-14-2003</div>		PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">01-14-2002</div>	
TITLE OF INVENTION <i>DEVICE FOR FIXING TO EACH OTHER OR ADJUSTING PARTS OR PIECES OF CLOTHING OR UNDERWEAR SUCH AS BRAS</i>					
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;">ERIC SITBON ; AGNÈS SITBON</div>					
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:					
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. 4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31). 5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto. b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made. 8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)). 9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). 					
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:					
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment. 14. <input type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification. 16. <input type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. 17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825. 18. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 19. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 20. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT</i> • <i>INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION</i> • <i>COPIES OF "PERTINENT DOCUMENTS"</i> 					

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21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted: BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492 (a) (1) - (5)): Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO and International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO \$1080.00 International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but International Search Report prepared by the EPO or JPO \$920.00 International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO \$770.00 International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$730.00 International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$100.00 ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =				CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY	
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Total claims	49 - 20 =	29	x \$18.00	\$ 522	00
Independent claims	2 - 3 =	0	x \$86.00	\$ 00	00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)				\$	
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$ 1442	00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.				\$ 721	00
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 or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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- 1 CREDIT CARD PAYMENT FORM
- 1 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (In replacement of form PTO/SB/08A) --- 2 PAGES
- 1 DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION (PTO/SB/01) --- 3 PAGES
- 1 PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT --- 10 PAGES
- 2 COPIES OF ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION AS FILED --- 72 PAGES + 30 DRAWINGS = 102 PAGES x 2 COPIES = 204 PAGES TOTAL
- 2 COPIES OF INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION AS FILED --- 2 COVER PAGES + 72 PAGES + 30 DRAWINGS = 104 PAGES x 2 COPIES = 208 PAGES TOTAL
- 1 INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT --- 3 PAGES + 4 PAGES + 1 PAGE + 4 PAGES = 12 PAGES
- 1 INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION --- 2 PAGES + 3 PAGES = 5 PAGES
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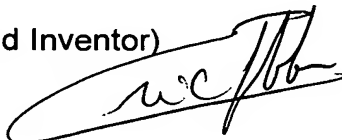
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